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UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
 NORTHERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA
 OAKLAND DIVISION

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,)	No. 06-00336 SBA
)	
Plaintiff,)	STIPULATION AND ORDER SETTING
)	DATE FOR CHANGE OF PLEA
v.)	
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AMANDA DE LA MERCED)	
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Defendant.)	
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It is hereby stipulated by and between the parties that the date scheduled for status in the above captioned case be continued to November 28, 2006 at 11:00 a.m. for change of plea. The reason for the requested continuance is that the parties have commenced plea negotiations which has necessitated further investigation by counsel for the government. Taking into consideration the exercise of due diligence, the parties agree that the investigation should be completed within the next three weeks. The parties further request that time be excluded under the Speedy Trial Act, 18 U.S.C. §3161(h)(8)(A) and (B)(iv) from the date of this Order to November 28, 2006 to allow for effective preparation of counsel.

STIPULATION AND ORDER SETTING DATE FOR CHANGE OF PLEA

1 DATED: November 6, 2006

/S/
ALICIA W. FENRICK
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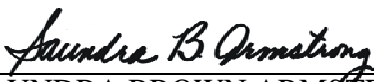
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4 DATED: November 6, 2006

/S/
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Counsel for Defendant

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6 ORDER

7 GOOD CAUSE APPEARING, IT IS ORDERED that the status date in the above captioned
8 case be continued to November 28, 2006 at 11:00 a.m. for change of plea.. IT IS FURTHER
9 ORDERED that the time be excluded under the provisions of the Speedy Trial Act to November
10 28, 2006 because the ends of justice served outweigh the best interest of the public and the
11 defendant in a speedy trial in order to allow for effective preparation of counsel under 18 U.S.C.
12 §3161(h)(8)(A) and (B)(iv).
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15 DATED: November 7, 2006



SAUNDRA BROWN ARMSTRONG
United States District Judge

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